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He has also a full and complete line of

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TOWN LOTS!
FOR SALE,
ON EASY TERMS.

October 29, 1874—d.

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And is prepared to furnish said Chain Pumps on short notice.

The advantages of this Pump over many others are many. The Chain being buttonless, it is much lighter, consequently it is not liable to break, and works much easier. The RUBBER BUCKETS which are attached to the Chain will not wear the Tubing, consequently it will last longer than when Metal Buttons are used. It is, positively, ANTI-FREEZING. It is a positive WATER PURIFIER, as each Bucket is constructed with an AIR CHAMBER, which carries a given quantity of pure air into the water, which immediately diffuses through the entire body of water, purifying and cleaning, and rendering it fit for use.

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R. B. GRUELLE,
PORTRAIT PAINTER!

HAVING opened my Studio on the south side of the New Square, over Stoner's drug store, I am prepared to paint Portraits in the highest style of the art, at low prices Satisfaction guaranteed.
May 20, 1875—d&wtf

DISSOULUTION NOTICE.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of D. M. Barnett & Co., was dissolved by mutual consent October 25th, 1876, D. M. Barnett having purchased the interest of R. A. McKenzie, and becoming responsible for all the debts of the late firm. All accounts of the firm are also in his hands for collection. D. M. BARNETT.
R. A. McKENZIE.

The grocery business will be continued at the old stand by the undersigned, who respectfully solicits a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon the firm. All persons owing the firm are requested to settle their accounts without delay. D M BARNETT.
Oct. 27—d1w

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*POST OFFICE HOURS.*

Office open at 7 A. M.; closes at 8 P. M.
Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Money Order and Registering office open from 7:30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE

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| For Terre Haute, on Ill. M. R. R. | 9:40 A. M |
| " West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W. | 10:40 A. M. |
| " East and Chicago, on T W & W | 11:30 A. M. |
| " East, on Ind., D. & S. R. R. | 1:00 P. M. |
| " Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R. | 1:00 P. M. |
| " Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W. | 1:00 P. M. |
| " Pekin and Peoria, on T., W. & W. R. R. | 2:30 P. M. |
| " Chicago and St. Louis | 5:00 P. M. |
| " Lafayette and East | 5:00 P. M. |
| " North, on Ill. Cent. R. R. | 2:00 P. M |

MAILS ARRIVE

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| From South and St. Louis, | 5:45 A. M. |
| " Lafayette, on T., W. & W. | 5:45 A. M. |
| " Peoria, on I. M. R. R. | 5:45 A. M. |
| " Pekin and Peoria, on T., W. & W. and Ill. Mid. R. R. | 10:30 A. M. |
| " East | 11:20 A. M. |
| " Monticello and Champaign, on I., B. & W. | 11:20 A. M. |
| " East, on Ind., D. & S. E. R. | 11:20 A. M. |
| " West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W. | 12:20 P. M. |
| " East, on Ill. Mid. R. R. | 1:30 P. M. |
| " North, on Illinois Central | 5:45 P. M. |

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.
Decatur, Ill., May 1, 1876.

*GET RELIABLE INFORMATION.*

We would advise all persons who are contemplating a trip to the West, either for pleasure or for permanent settlement, to first select the BEST AND MOST DIRECT ROUTE. Now the fact that the Old Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad and connections, form THE ONLY LINE RUNNING THROUGH PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS AND DAY COACHES from Cleveland and Toledo via the T., W. & W. R'y, and from Chicago via the C., B. & Q. R. R. via Quincy to St. Joseph, Atchison and Kansas City, WITHOUT CHANGE, making direct connections at these points with all trains for the West and South, should satisfy every one that this is THE ROUTE. Should you desire a map of this line, or any information regarding time or rates, the same will be gladly furnished upon application, either by letter or in person, to T. PENFIELD, General Pass. and Ticket Agent, Hannibal, Missouri. [feb 24 dtf

*DAVIS' NURSERIES.*

Has now ready for spring delivery 200,000 Apple Trees, 10,000 Evergreens, 20,000 Shade Trees; also, hundreds of Cherry, Pear, Peach and Plum Trees, Grape Roots, &c. Order at once. Anything in the nursery line—will set and insure this spring, if wanted. Prices and catalogues on application to

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I have also for sale at my Nurseries, eggs for hatching, fresh and genuine, from select birds, of the following breeds: Buff, Cochin, Black Cochin, Partridge Cochin, Light Brahmas, Dark Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks and Houdans.

Also, the best WATER ELEVATOR known; draws with two buckets. Throw out your pumps and draw off the surface water and preserve your health. Prices and description on application to

H. W. DAVIS,
Feb. 15-dawtfms Decatur, Ill.

Texas.—We have just received the agency for the sale or exchange of several sections of land, in the new counties of Motley and Dickens, in northwest Texas. These lands are located in a beautiful prairie country, adapted to the raising of stock and general farm purposes, adjoining, and in the vicinity of lands located by H. B Durfee, who is familiar with the general character of the lands we are now offering.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

**Reduced Rates.**—The St. Nicholas omnibus and carriage line will, from and after this date, carry passengers to and from the depot or to any part of the city for *Twenty-five cents*. Leave your orders at the office of the hotel for either 'bus or carriage. Only 25 cents.
26 dtf LAUX & BRO.

*The Handsomest and Cheapest*
BLACK SILKS
ever opened in Decatur, at
April 7-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

*On Account* of the hard times B. Stinc, the clothier, has reduced the price of the Best Chinchilla Overcoats, from $20.00 to $16.50. This article must be seen in order to be appreciated.
oct 24 dtf

**Oysters** served in any style at J. J. Drake's Restaurant, Opera Block. 8dtf

**Don't Fail** to call at the tea store for your groceries. They give 4 lbs. of the best coffee for $1.00, and $3.00 a hundred for better flour than you pay $3.50 elsewhere. nov7-dtf

**Hagan's Magnolia Balm** preserves and restores the complexion; removes freckles, tan and sallowness; makes the skin soft, white and delicate. Its application cannot be detected.
March 10, 1876—deod w1y

**German School**—The German school under the direction of E. Oberdorsten will open at Concordia hall, on Monday next, and will be conducted as a day and evening school, and children attending other day schools can avail themselves of the benefits of this in the evening. Tuition for the children of parents who are not members of the association, is fifty cents per month. Certificates of admission may be procured of the president, H. Metz, or of the teacher.

E. C. BASSEY,
nov 8,d2t Secretary.

THE BIG BROTHER.

There is nobody in the household who has so many chances to make the rest happy as the big brother. He is the pride and delight of his father and mother, and the younger children fairly worship him. His sisters are ready to do whatever he wishes, and unless quite right in this disposition; for a big brother is always supposed to be a manly, generous fellow, willing to help weaker people, and ready to lend a hand to those who heed it.

I remember one big brother whom I greatly admired. He was about eighteen years old, tall and broad shouldered, with a faint shadow of mustache on his upper lip. He was studying hard for his profession, but there was not a moment when he would not lay his books aside to solve a difficulty for Lulu or Jennie, whose parsing troubled them, and he never said an ungentle word to the little brother ten years his junior, who came to him with his kites and skate straps and broken toys to be mended. The manly, big brother lost nothing by his kindness and suavity, and now that he is a physician, a little bald, and with boys of his own to bring up, the same gentleness of demeanor recommends him to patients and friends.

Some boys seem to think it very fine to affect rudeness and bluntness of manner at home. They take off their hats very gallantly to the young ladies who reside in the opposite house, but it is too much trouble to be courteous to their own sisters. They scorn the idea of encumbering themselves with a little brother or cousin who wants to go and see the procession or to accompany them on an excursion. It does involve some sacrifice to give up one's careless independence on a journey, and be responsible for the safety of a child, but then if all the world were looking out simply for itself, where would the happiness go to?

Believe me, boys, that the people for whose opinion you really care will value and honor you far more for your habitual tenderness, good nature, steadiness and patience with those who are younger than yourselves, than for your most brilliant performances in the school room. If you are tempted sometimes to be cross and petulant, to say sarcastic things to those who cannot easily answer them, and to snub your little sisters and brother, ask yourself whether or not, after all, you do not love these home folks better than others in the world? Are you not sure of their love for you? Then is it not worth while to be amiable and lovely to those whose love makes earth's sunshine, and whose absence would make earth dark indeed? I often think, if we were all more kind in little things, we would be repaid by the comfort we should have in our own conscience. It is very easy to say a gruff word when a gentle word would be the right one, but to most boys there is apt to be a troublesome prick afterward. A kind and pleasant word, even in the way of reproof, costs no more than a gruff one, and is a hundred fold better. If you doubt it, try it.

!!AT LAST!!

*A Long Needed Want Supplied.*

E. B. PRATT'S

Grocery Store, No. 27 North Church street, where may be found Glass and Queensware, Chickens, Fresh Meat, Bread, Cakes, Butter, Cheese, Milk, Eggs, and Fruits of all kinds. Grain by the bushel or load. Wood by the cord delivered to any part of the city.
Aug. 28-d&w8m*

**Young Man**, do you want a nobby suit? Mr. P. A. Schaub, with J. R. Race & Co., is the man to take your measure. Au30dtf

**Pike, the Jeweler,** keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

**Patents** procured by L. F. Graham, at 32 West Wood street. [july 31 d1y

**The Ladies** will do well by subscribing for the *Domestic Monthly*, which is $1.50 a year, and a premium of one dollar's worth of patterns will be given to each subscriber, which will make the *Monthly* 50 cents only, at Goldburg's.
May 2 d&wtf

**Wanted, Farm Hand.**—A good man with a small family on a large farm; house, cow and garden furnished. Apply at this office. nov6-dtf

**Hemp Carpets** reduced from 16¼ cents to 12½ cents a yard, at
oc27-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

*Glassware* cheaper than anybody, at the 49-Cent Store. oc20-dtf

**Is your eyesight failing?**—Try the Reading Glasses for sale by Pike, the Jeweler. feb 7 dtf

**Domestic Paper Fashions,** the best patterns in America, sold at M. Goldburg's. Catalogues free.
May 2 d&wtf

**Wanted**—A good girl to do general housework. Apply at No. 16, West William street. nov7-d3t.

**Great Bargains** in Jewelry at J. L. Knieper's, 24 Merchant street. Feb. 7-d&wtf.

**Mrs. Moody's** Abdominal Corset, Madam Foy's Supporter Corset, the Duplex Hip-fitting Corset, the Champion and Grand Duchess Corset—French and American styles, at lower prices than any other house in the city, at
May 2 d&wtf GOLDBURG'S.

BOYS'
AND
GIRLS'
SCHOOL
BOOTS AND SHOES just received, in great variety, and at extremely low prices, at

L. L. FERRISS'.
Sept 5-dtf

**Keep's Patent Partly Made Shirts,** $1.00, and the Manhattan shirts, made complete, $1.25—the best and cheapest shirts in the market, at
LINN & SCRUGGS.
June 2-dtf.

**The Tea Store** has started anew, at the store lately occupied by Leffingwell.—They sell their best tea at 80c and $1.00 a lb. nov7-dtf

**Lyon's Kathairon** makes beautiful, glossy, luxuriant hair; prevents its falling out or turning gray. It has stood the test of 40 years. Is charmingly perfumed, and has no rival.
March 10, 1876—deod w1y

**Curtis & Righter's** stock of everything in their line is the most complete in the city, and their prices are the lowest. Be sure to see their stock before you buy anything in their line. [5daw1

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.
Macon County Circuit Court.

John Hatfield vs. Robert Timmons and John W. Pursell—On bill to foreclose mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, in said court at the May term, A. D. 1876, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court,

*On Tuesday, the 21st day of November, A. D. 1876,*

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot number one (1), in block number thirteen (13), in the Railroad Addition to Macon, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 31, A. D. 1876.
Nov 2—w3w

FORTY YEARS BEFORE THE PUBLIC.

DR. C. McLANE'S
Celebrated American
WORM SPECIFIC
—OR—
VERMIFUGE.

SYMPTOMS OF WORMS.

THE countenance is pale and leaden-colored, with occasional flushes, or a circumscribed spot on one or both cheeks; the eyes become dull; the pupils dilate; an azure semicircle runs along the lower eye-lid; the nose is irritated, swells, and sometimes bleeds; a swelling of the upper lip; occasional headache, with humming or throbbing of the ears; an unusual secretion of saliva; slimy or furred tongue; breath very foul, particularly in the morning; appetite variable, sometimes voracious, with a gnawing sensation of the stomach, at others, entirely gone; fleeting pains in the stomach; occasional nausea and vomiting; violent pains throughout the abdomen; bowels irregular, at times costive; stools slimy; not unfrequently tinged with blood; belly swollen and hard; urine turbid; respiration occasionally difficult, and accompanied by hiccough; cough sometimes dry and convulsive; uneasy and disturbed sleep, with grinding of the teeth; temper variable, but generally irritable, &c.

Whenever the above symptoms are found to exist,

DR. C. McLANE'S VERMIFUGE
Will certainly effect a cure.

IT DOES NOT CONTAIN MERCURY in any form; it is an innocent preparation, *not capable of doing the slightest injury to the most tender infant.*

The genuine DR. McLANE'S VERMIFUGE bears the signatures of C. McLANE and FLEMING BROS. on the wrapper.

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DR. C. McLANE'S
LIVER PILLS.

These Pills are not recommended as a remedy for "all the ills that flesh is heir to," but in affections of the Liver, and in all Bilious Complaints, Dyspepsia and Sick Headache, or diseases of that character, they stand without a rival.

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No better cathartic can be used preparatory to, or after taking Quinine.

As a simple purgative they are unequaled.

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The genuine are never sugar coated. Each box has a red wax seal on the lid, with the impression DR. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS.

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Sold by all respectable druggists and country storekeepers generally.

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BEST SUIT OF CLOTHES IN AMERICA FOR THE MONEY, $7 to $10.

NEW STOCK OF CASSIMERES.

Special Bargains in

HATS AND GLOVES.

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Now controls and operates the following Lines:

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| *Toledo to St. Louis* | 434 *Miles* |
| *Toledo to Hannibal* | 463 *Miles* |
| *Toledo to Quincy* | 474 *Miles* |
| *Toledo to Keokuk* | 489 *Miles* |
| *Toledo to Peoria* | 400 *Miles* |
| *Toledo to Bloomington* | 321 *Miles* |

Connecting in Union Depots at

Saint Louis, Hannibal,
Quincy, Keokuk,
PEORIA AND BLOOMINGTON,
To and from all Points in

Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Texas, Nebraska, Colorado and California,

And forming the Leading Thoroughfare between the Missouri and Mississippi Valleys and New York, Boston, and all other points in New England, enabling passengers who travel by the

"WABASH FAST LINE!"

to reach the principal cities in the East and West many hours in advance of other lines. No change of cars between Cleveland and St. Joseph and Atchison (810 miles), and between Toledo and Kansas City (700 miles.)

All Express Trains of this Line are fully equipped with Pullman's Palace Sleeping Cars, Westinghouse's Lately Improved Air Brake, and Miller's Platforms and Coupler, rendering a serious accident almost impossible.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST:

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| No. 1 Through Express | 2 25 a m |
| " 3 Fast Express | 11 00 a. m |
| " 5 Accommodation | 2 55 p. m |

GOING EAST:

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| No. 2 Lightning Express | 10 30 p. m |
| " 4 Atlantic " | 12 20 p. m |
| " 6 Accommodation | 4 50 p m |

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

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| Going east | 9:00 a. m. ..... 9:25 p. m |
| Going west | 2:20 p. m. ..... 9:20 p. m |

PEORIA DIVISION:

DEPART:

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| No. 71 Express | 7 30 a. m |
| " 73 Mail | 6 00 p. m |

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| No. 72 Express | 10 20 p. m |
| " 74 Mail | 10 15 a. m |

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

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| No. 41 Through Express | 2 40 a. m |
| " 43 Fast Express | 11 15 a. m |
| " 45 Accommodation | 5 45 a. m |
| " 65 Freight | 2 45 p. m |

ARRIVE:

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| No. 42 Lightning Express | 10 25 p. m |
| " 44 Atlantic " | 11 55 a. m |
| " 46 Accommodation | 9 20 p. m |

R. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Passenger and Ticket Agent, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent Decatur.

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*The Greatest Advance in Sewing Mechanism,*

since the introduction of the sewing machines, within the reach of the ladies of Decatur, Illinois, and vicinity. This machine COMPLETELY REVOLUTIONIZES the theory of machine sewing, and has rendered obsolete all the old *styles* of sewing machines. Descriptive price lists free, on application to our sole agent for Decatur, Ills,
J. S. HAND & CO., Decatur, Ill.
WILLCOX & GIBBS' S. M. CO.,
[3 North Sixth street, St. Louis, Mo.
Feb. 4-d&wtf

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW, Office in Central Block, over Wingate's hardware store, Merchant street.
August 5, 1875—d1f

THROUGH TIME BY THE

I. B. & W. ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

| STATIONS. | No. 2. | No. 4. | No. 6. |
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| I., B. & W. R. R. | | | |
| Lv Decatur | | | 2 00 p m |
| Lv Monticello | | 11 40 a m | 3 40 " |
| Ar Champaign | 6 25 a m | 12 35 p m | 5 15 " |
| " Danville | 8 15 " | 2 55 " | 7 10 a m |
| " Indianapolis | 11 35 " | 6 00 " | 4 00 " |
| " Cincinnati | 4 25 p m | 11 30 " | 9 10 " |
| T., W. & W. R R | | | |
| Lv Decatur | | 12 20 p m | 10 30 p m |
| " Tolono | | 1 45 p m | 11 41 p m |
| Ar Danville | | 2 55 p m | 1 10 a m |
| Ar Indianapolis | | 6 00 p m | 4 00 a m |
| Lv Indianapolis | 11 45 a m | 6 45 p m | 4 15 a m |
| Ar Cincinnati | 4 25 p m | 11 30 p m | 9 10 a m |
| " Dayton | 6 50 p m | 9 00 p m | 9 30 a m |
| " Columbus | 9 30 p m | 12 45 a m | 12 00 m |
| " Zanesville | 6 35 a m | 6 35 a m | 2 30 p m |
| " Wheeling | 9 30 a m | 9 30 a m | 5 50 p m |
| " Washington | 5 20 p m | 9 07 p m | 7 00 a m |
| " Baltimore | 8 55 p m | 7 35 p m | 8 50 a m |
| " Pittsburg | 7 50 a m | 7 50 a m | 7 15 p m |
| " Harrisburg | 3 55 p m | 3 55 p m | 3 45 a m |
| " Philadelphia | 7 20 p m | 7 20 p m | 7 35 a m |
| " New York | 10 20 p m | 10 20 p m | 10 25 a m |
| " Crestline | | 4 25 a m | 12 25 p m |
| " Cleveland | | 7 05 a m | 2 50 p m |
| " Buffalo | | 1 15 p m | 9 15 p m |
| " Boston | 7 00 a m | 10 00 a m | 4 50 p m |
| " Louisville | 8 45 p m | 11 15 p m | 8 30 a m |
| " Nashville | | 8 05 a m | 6 25 p m |
| " Ft. Wayne | | 1 40 a m | 10 30 a m |
| " Jackson | | 6 40 a m | 3 35 p m |
| " Detroit | | 10 15 a m | 8 25 p m |

Train No. 6, via T. W & W. R'y, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Pullmans Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars run on No. 2 from Champaign and Danville to Cincinnati via Hamilton.

Parlor Cars, with State Rooms and Luxurious Reclining Chairs, run from Champaign and Danville to Cincinnati via Hamilton.

Send for copy of our Centennial Guide.

GEO. H. WRIGHT, Receiver,
JNO. W. BROWN, Gen'l Pass. & Tkt Agt, Indianapolis Ind.

For *through tickets* and further information, call on or address

M. MORRISON, Agent,
Decatur, Ill.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, June 26, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING EAST.

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| Mixed leaves at | 7 00 a m |
| Express leaves at | 7 30 a m |
| Express leaves at | 5 35 p m |
| Mixed arrives at | 12 20 a m |

GOING WEST.

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| Mixed leaves at | 2 30 a m |
| Through Express at | 1 05 p m |
| Mixed arrives at | 5 40 p m |
| Decatur Express arrives at | 9 35 p m |

Sleeping cars at Terre Haute through to Cincinnati, New York and Philadelphia.

D. M. KENDRICK, Gen'l Passenger and Ticket Agent, Paris, Ills.

ROBERT EMMETT, Eastern Passenger Agent, Indianapolis, Ind.

C. H. BROWN, Local Freight & Ticket Ag't.

Illinois Central R. R

On and after May 2nd trains leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

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| Passenger | 5 26 A M Sundays excepted |
| Freight | 10 15 A M " " |
| Freight | 2 55 P M " " |
| Accommodation | 5 50 P M " " |

GOING SOUTH.

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|---|---|
| Freight | 9 10 A M Sundays excepted |
| Accommodation | 10 15 A M " " |
| Freight | 2 50 P M " " |
| Passenger | 5 25 P M " " |

Train going going north at 2:35 P. M. does not carry passengers.

J. C. CLARK, Gen'l Manager, Chicago.
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agt., "
J. F. TUCKER, Gen. Ft'l Ag't, "
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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APR. 24, 1876, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

EASTWARD BOUND TRAINS.

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| No. 1—Freight leaves Decatur | 6:55 a m |
| No. 3—Passenger " " | 1:35 p m |

WESTWARD BOUND TRAINS.

| | |
|---|---|
| No. 2—Passenger arrives at Decatur | 11:06 a m |
| No. 4—Freight " " " | 4:45 p m |

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Chief Engineer and Supt.
D. H. FITCH, Train Master.
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Sept. 20, 1876—d&w3mo*

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Sept. 16, 1876—d&wtf

R. C. Dawkins, D. D. S.,
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Office over Bucker, Hammer & Co.'s Bank. sep23 d&wtf

J. M. MILLER,
DENTIST,
DECATUR, ILLS.
Rooms over Riddle's shoe store, Post Office block.
May 18, 1876—d&wtf

DR. R. L. WALSTON

HAS resumed the general practice of medicine, and is now attending to all kinds of professional business day or night, in the city or country. Office as heretofore.
RESIDENCE—On North Main street, first door north of the Christian church.
Decatur, May 3, 1876—d&wtf

D. L. BUNN. EDWIN PARK.
BUNN & PARK
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
OFFICE:—No. 14 East Main Street—Up Stairs. April 11, 76d1f

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery. FELIX B. TAIT Notary Public.
BROWN & TAIT,
ATTORNEYS AT ALW,
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Office, 22 North Water street, over Fenton's Clothing store. Collections and all legal business promptly attended to.
July11-dawly.

P. B. Sparks, M. D.
HOMEOPATHIST,
Decatur, Illinois, over the Post Office.
All calls promptly responded to in the city or country, night or day. Residence, No. 40 West Wood street.
August 16, 1876—d1f

*Dr. A. S. Waltz,*
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Baber & Co's shoe store, East Main street.
June 18, 1873—d3mos*

J. Stebbins King, M. D.,
FORMERLY resident physician St. John's Hotel for Invalids, Cincinnati, Ohio; late of United States Army; Surgeon in charge of Mississippi State Hospital, and general practitioner, Natchez, Miss.
OFFICE—In Post Office Block, entrance Reading Room stairs, Decatur, Illinois.
RESIDENCE, No. 40 North Main street
Jan. 17, 1876—d&w tf

T. S. HOSKINS,
DENTIST!
Offers his professional services to the people of Decatur and vicinity. Work guaranteed of the best quality
OFFICE—Over Hieldman's grocery store, merchant street, Decatur, Ill.
May 28, 1875-dawtf.

Dr. IRA B. CURTIS

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Decatur and Macon county that he has resumed an office practice, and will make the Eye and Ear a specialty. Private consultation room attached to office.
OFFICE—North door, in Wm. M. Barrett's marble shop building, North Main street, Decatur, Ill. [nov 26-d&w6m

HARVEY PASCO,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public, Solicitor of Collections, Bankruptcy and War Claims. Office over Baber's shoe store, E. Main street, Decatur, Ill.
Special attention given to Bankruptcy and general collecting business.
June 4, 1875—d&wtf.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1875-dwtf.

*B. L. STERRATT,*
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
OFFICE—South east cor. of the old square, in the office formerly occupied by S. G. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's drug store. June 1-d&wly

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Baber's shoe store

W. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office—Room 5, Powers' Block. *Prompt attention to business.*

St. Nicholas Hotel,

N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Bus to and from the house.* w3m-tf

E. B. ELDRIDGE. J. C. HOSTETLER.
ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER,
ATTORNEYS at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [July 2, 1874-d1y

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law,
*Decatur, Illinois.*
OFFICE: Over Abel & Loeber's carpet store, East Main Street. [Apr. 1-d1f

S. M. LUTZ,
Conductor of Musical Conventions and Singing Classes.
Will also give private instruction in Voice Culture, in Decatur, Illinois.
Aug. 25—d3m.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

*Thursday Evening, Nov. 9.*


## OUR TURN NOW.

When we wrote our editorial of yesterday every indication pointed to the election of Tilden. In the afternoon however, things began to take a turn, and up until this moment the news continues to grow more and more hopeful. As a consequence, Republicans feel jubilant and Democrats are correspondingly depressed. Whether the hopes of to-day are to be supplemented by the certainty of victory to-morrow can only be hoped for. At any rate, the outlook is encouraging, and nobody need be surprised if the news grows better and better The Republicans have made large gains of congressmen, and the full count may possibly entirely wipe out the confederate majority in the house.

## FLORIDA.

The election appears to turn on the vote in Florida, and that State to-day occupies a larger place in the public mind than ever before. Latest advices encourage the hope that it has gone for Hayes. God grant it may be so.

## THE ELECTORAL COLLEGE.

### The Situation as it Now Seems to Stand.

The following is the vote of the electoral college for President, as indicated by our dispatches last night.

| | Hayes | | Tilden |
|---|---|---|---|
| California | 6 | Alabama | 10 |
| Colorado | 3 | Arkansas | 6 |
| Florida | 4 | Connecticut | 6 |
| Illinois | 21 | Delaware | 3 |
| Iowa | 11 | Georgia | 11 |
| Kansas | 5 | Indiana | 15 |
| Louisiana | 8 | Kentucky | 12 |
| Maine | 7 | Maryland | 8 |
| Massachusetts | 13 | Mississippi | 8 |
| Michigan | 11 | Missouri | 15 |
| Minnesota | 5 | New Jersey | 9 |
| Nebraska | 3 | New York | 35 |
| Nevada | 3 | Tennessee | 12 |
| New Hampshire | 5 | Texas | 8 |
| Ohio | 22 | Virginia | 11 |
| Oregon | 3 | West Virginia | 5 |
| Pennsylvania | 29 | | |
| Rhode Island | 4 | | |
| South Carolina | 7 | | |
| Vermont | 5 | | |
| Wisconsin | 10 | | |
| | 185 | | 174 |

DOUBTFUL.

North Carolina ..... 10

The Electoral College consists of 369 members; requiring 185 to elect.

## FOR REPRESENTATIVES.

The following is the official vote of the district on representatives:

| | Chambers. | Abel. |
|---|---|---|
| Macon, | 4,595½ | 4,672 |
| DeWitt, | 3,290 | 2,501½ |
| Total, | 7,885½ | 7,173½ |

| | Campbell, | Jack, | Carle. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Macon, | 4,152½ | 4,635 | 24 |
| DeWitt, | 1,776 | 1,464 | 2,366 |
| Total, | 5,918½ | 6,099 | 2,390 |

So the representatives will be Wm. L. Chambers and Thos. J. Abel, Republicans, and Samuel S. Jack, Democrat

## CONGRESSMEN.

The democratic majority in the present congressional house is 77. It is evident that this will be greatly reduced if not entirely overcome in the next congress by the republican gains at the October and November elections. The following is a list of gains reported at both elections:

| States. | No. Members. |
|---|---|
| Ohio | 5 |
| Indiana | 4 |
| Colorado (new member) | 1 |
| New York | 8 |
| Pennsylvania | 7 |
| Massachusetts | 4 |
| California | 2 |
| Illinois | 4 |
| Missouri | 2 |
| Total | 35 |

There are probably gains in Iowa, Kansas and other states, though these may be more than counterbalanced by losses in southern states. These figures, however, indicate that the next congress, if not republican, will be very close.

The following is a list of the congressmen elected in this state:

1. Wm. Aldrich, rep., gain.
2. Carter H. Harrison, dem.
3. J. V. LeMoyne, dem., doubtful.
4. W. Lathrop, rep.
5. H. C. Burchard, rep.
6. T. J. Henderson, rep.
7. P. C. Hayes, rep., gain.
8. G. L. Fort, rep.
9. T. A. Boyd, rep.
10. B. F. Marsh, rep., gain.
11. R. M. Knapp, dem.
12. Wm. Springer, dem.
13. T. F. Tipton, rep., gain.
14. J. G. Cannon, rep.
15. J. R. Eden, dem.
16. W. R. Sparks, dem.
17. W. R. Morrison, dem.
18. W. Hartzell, dem., doubtful.
19. W. B. Anderson, dem.

Republicans 10; Democrats 9.

THE Cooper and Cary party in Decatur are "in the nine hole."

THE old rebel yell is rot so loud today; in fact it is very thin.


**The Largest Stock** of ladies' and childrens' underclothing, such as vests and pants, you will find at Goldburg's
oc30-d1w,w1


## SOMETHING ABOUT GLASS EYES.

A novel exhibit in the German section of the Exposition main building is a large collection of artificial eyes, representing all sizes and shapes, from the pale blue to the black and gray. A careful examination fails to discover any that are green, thus setting at rest forever the conundrum, "Do you see any green in my eye?" For it follows if there are any green eyes among the people they would have found their counterpart in the artificial Judging from the large stock of eyes on exhibition, the business must be a good one in the old world. Taking it for granted that one person in 5,000 in the Centennial is the possessor of a black eye, the number thus far would amount to an army of about 1,000.

The eyes on examination are gotten up in new style, and could hardly be distinguished from the original when placed in the socket, were it not that they keep up a continual stare. They are made up of a light, durable material, and considerable skill has been exemplified in their preparation. Eyes are divided into quite a number of classes, and among them are laughing eyes. These generally consist of a light-blue iris with radiating white lines, and the iris seems to dance around in the aqueous fluid. Then there are languid eyes, piercing eyes, dull, heavy-looking eyes, and bright, sparkling eyes, all of which have their counterpart in the human race.

As a mere piece of mechanism, the world nowhere furnishes such a beautiful and complex piece of machinery in so small a space as the human eye, and as an optical instrument, it is perfect beyond imitation. It is bad enough when an individual loses both of these instruments; but there is comfort in the fact that when one is gone, the hand of the optician has made another, which, while it cannot give sight, yet it can help to restore marred beauty.

SOME of the New York papers have made severe strictures on Dr. Talmage for his sudden severance of the editorship of the *Christian at Work*. The following, from a letter in the New York *Times*, by Mr. St. Clair McKelway, of Brooklyn, gives Talmage's version of the act:

Dr. Talmage and the proprietors were formally to part company Nov. 6. After this agreement the proprietors conveyed their property to another secretly, and with the presumable intent of dropping Dr. Talmage out, without notice, suddenly, before the time agreed on, and in a way that would have injuriously and unjustly affected him. He learned of this conspiracy, as I do not hesitate to call it, and dropped himself out on the very last day in which the proprietors he was serving were the proprietors! He was to edit their paper, not another's. They made it over to another, and did not mean he should know that he had been sold out of his place before the time mutually agreed on for his retirement. He retired by his own act simultaneously with those who had designed to precede him just long enough to leave him in the lurch. He was quick enough to neutralize an unfriendly and covert movement against him That is his offense. On ceasing to be the editor, he printed a valedictory statement that he had ceased to be editor. That is his crime. That is all he did, and, as to the advertisement of the *Advance*, he neither put it in, nor knew that it was put in.

THE munificent scheme of public charities devised by James Lick, the Californian miser-millionaire, and which, to make secure against lawyers' quips and quiddets, he himself started in operation, instead of leaving it to be done after his demise, seems quite as liable to be defeated by the lawyers as though the whole depended upon the validity of a will. His conveyances, which became operative during his lifetime, will indeed be attacked upon precisely the sterotyped objection upon which wills seem almost invariably to be upset, namely: that of unsoundness of mind. There will, of course, be a protracted law-suit about it, which will go to show how well-nigh impossible it is for a man to dispose of his estate as he pleases, not merely by will during his own lifetime.

ALTHOUGH the prevailing hard times in this country has had the effect to check immigration, it has not stopped it. The number who have sought homes in the new world, for the year ending June 30th, 1876, when compared to the arrivals in the years when times were flush, seems small, but in the aggregate makes a very handsome addition to our population. The figures for the past five years are as follows: 1872, 404,806; 1873, 469,803; 1874, 318,339; 1875, 227,498; 1876, 169,986. As compared with former years, the reduction in 1876 was large, but still the immigration exceeded the population of several of our states. When prosperity again returns to our borders, as it must soon do, the influx of the hardy sons of toil from Europe will speedily fill up our Western territories and occupy the vacant lands that but wait the husbandman's touch to bloom and blossom as the rose.

CHICAGO, November 8.—The *Times* claims Tilden is without doubt elected. The *Tribune* and *Inter Ocean* declare there is strong hope that Florida, on which the result is considered to depend, will go republican.

# TELEGRAPHIC.

# THE ELECTION.

## WHAT'S HIS NAME?

### The Chances Are That it is Hayes.

*And the Democratic Rooster Crowed Before he Got Ready.*

### Florida the Pivotal State.

BUT MISSISSIPPI IS SAID TO BE IN DOUBT, TOO.

### And North Carolina not Altogether Sure.

### RETURNS IN DETAIL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9, 2 p. m.—The Tribune has a Washington special saying that Senator Conover telegraphs from Florida this morning that the state is certainly republican. Both Gov. Stearns and Congressman Purnam telegraph from Florida that the state has gone for Hayes.

Virginia City, Nev., 2 p. m.—Nevada gives a republican majority of about 1,000.

San Francisco, 2 p. m.—No actual figures can be given from Oregon, but the chairman of the republican state committee telegraphs that the state is sure for Hayes by 1,000.

Lake City, Florida, Nov. 9.—The returns received up to 10:30 this morning show dem. gains but leave the state still in doubt. It is thought actual count necessary to determine the result. Democrats estimate their majority at 1,500.

Special Dispatch.

CERRO GORDO, November 8.—The noted "rag baby" (Cerro Gordo township), gives the following Republican majorities: Hayes 118, Cullom 62, Cannon 48, and the entire ticket ahead. E. DRUM.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 9, 1 a m.—There is great excitement here over announcement that Hayes is elected. His private secretary is sending out telegrams claiming maj of one for Gov. Hayes in electoral college. High St., in front of Republican headquarters is closely packed with thousands of people all wild with excitement. After hearing news at Republican headquarters a crowd numbering several thousand formed a procession and marched to Gov. Hayes' residence in response to repeated calls for Gov. Hayes he appeared on doorway, and after scores of cheers spoke as follows:

*My Friends*—I assure you I am obliged for this hearty demonstration. I therefore take the call as an earnest of your loyalty to the Republican party, and your desire for its success. If late advices should change the result from what it is announced at present, I assure you I shall frequently recall this visit during the time I shall yet have among you, with pleasure. I bid you good night.

NEW YORK, November 8.—The *Tribune* believes that everything hangs on Florida, and that the republicans have carried that State, and that the electoral college stands, Hayes, 185; Tilden, 184. The *Tribune's* Washington special says the Republicans have carried North Carolina.

The New York *World* furnishes an estimate, giving Tilden a total of 188 votes, counting Florida, which is conceded doubtful.

The *Times* declares Hayes elected, giving him 185 votes.

The *Herald* considers that Florida will decide the election and considers it a doubtful State.

LAKE CITY, FLA., Nov. 8.—Opinion of moderate men is that Florida has gone democratic, and will elect entire state ticket by over 2,000 majority. Democratic gains are large in all counties but three or four.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Nov. 8.—Returns continue to indicate at least 25,000 majority for Tilden. For congress, Hewitt 2d, Williams 3d, Ligon in 5th, Parratt in 6th, Forney in 7th and Garver in8th.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—Washington city is, to-night in a fever of excitement which has been continually growing in intensity since the receipt of dispatches throwing some doubt upon the presidential election. Previous to that time the success of Tilden and Hendricks being almost universally conceded. Private manifestations of alarm and dejection were very prevalent among the thousands of employes in the executive departments, but the afternoon reports inspired fresh hope among them, and in the minds of republicans. Members of both parties give free expressions as to the doubts of the result, while patiently awaiting further returns.

New York, 8th.—Specials to Times state that South Carolina has gone republican by 10,000, and Florida by increased majority over 1875. Tribune has dispatch from Gov. Chamberlain claiming State for the Republicans by 15,000.

Tribune's Florida special gives state to republicans; both papers claim the election of Hayes by one majority. Intense excitement prevails in all circles and streets in vicinity of News Center, and are almost impassible.

New York latest dispatches from Florida seem to indicate democrats have carried state by 2,000.

Chicago, November 8.—New York *Times* concedes to-night 30,000 majority for Tilden in the State of New York.

Washington special says advices from West Virginia states that Republicans gain one Congressman; also that latest advices from New York represent that district to hear from; may possibly overcome Democratic majority.

Latest advices from New York claim Florida has gone Republican, as also South Carolina and Louisiana, and Republicans claim Hayes election by one majority. Democrats admit the result depends upon Florida.

Returns from Cook county complete, except a few republican districts, give Hayes 36,636; Tilden 38,648; Cooper 257; Cullom 36,297; Steward 36,927. It is claimed the county is republican by a small majority. City vote: Hayes 28,317, Tilden 33,247, Cooper 229. *Tribune* claims the Republicans has elected the whole county ticket except Clough, sheriff.

CHARLESTON, S. C., November 8.—A serious riot broke out here about dusk this evening. Broad street from the Court House to the Post Office, was crowded with whites and blacks, all excited, and the blacks much augered at returns unfavorable to the Republicans. An altercation between a Democrat and a Republican was followed by a general outbreak of the blacks, who were largely superior in numbers to the whites, and who opened a general fire with pistols and rifles upon the whites, taking complete possession of the street for a time. The whites soon rallied, and sharp firing occurred. Intense excitement reigned throughout the city for several hours. The companies of United States troops in this city double quicked to the scene and dispersed the crowd, and now hold the streets. Casualties, one negro mortally and eight others seriously wounded, one white, a son of Geo. Wilther, a prominent cotton merchant, killed and about a dozen others wounded.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 8.—Marion county 700 democratic majority; York county democrats claim 500; Laurens county 1,100 democratic majority; Richland county, 1,300 republican majority, and Kershaw, republican by over 400. The republicans claim the state by 10,000, while the democrats are still hopeful of carrying the state by a small majority. Returns come in slow.

COLUMBUS, O., November 8—Republicans very much excited over latest returns, and are confident Hayes is elected. They are marching in procession, singing campaign songs.

## PEORIA.

The *Transcript* of this morning claims the election of two republican representatives in that county, and concedes the election of Lee, democrat, as senator. The same paper gives the vote of congressman in the ninth district, from which it appears that Thos. A. Boyd, republican, has a majority of 287.

The greenback vote in Peoria county will not exceed fifty. In the city of Peoria that party "rallied as one man," and gave its unanimous vote for Cooper and Cary—1.

THE VANDALISM AT THE LINCOLN MONUMENT.—There are no further developments in connection with the attempt to steal the body of Abraham Lincoln at the Lincoln Monument. Further evidence regarding the outrage was discovered in the finding of a dark lantern belonging to the vandals, in the vicinity of the Monument, and it was also discovered that the bull's eye or glass light in the crypt was broken. The Monument is now guarded, and further attempt at vandalism, which is not expected, must result in captnre of the vandals. There existed intense excitement among the people of all classes, yesterday, when the outrage became known to all.—*Springfield Journal, Nov. 9th.*


**Nice Plaid** for 12½ cents, at
oc30-d1w S. EINSTEIN'S.

**Elegant** new styles Hoopskirts and Paniers, especially adapted to the present style of cloaks and other garments, at Linn & Scruggs [oc19-d&wtf

*DOWN SHE COMES!*

**Coal, $2.50 Per Ton.**

We are now selling a superior quality of coal from the Junction Company of Springfield, for cash, at $2 50 per ton, single ton or car, delivered to any part of the city. Office and yard at Illinois Central Mills, foot of East Main street. Orders promptly filled, and full weights guaranteed.

GEO. PRIEST & Co.
Nov. 8 dtf


**German School**—The German school under the direction of E. Oberdorster will open at Concordia hall, on Monday next, and will be conducted as a day and evening school, and children attending other day schools can avail themselves of the benefits of this in the evening. Tuition for the children of parents who are not members of the association, is fifty cents per month. Certificates of admission may be procured of the president, H. Metz, or of the teacher.

E. C. BASSEY, Secretary.
nov 8,d2t


*THE GREAT AUCTION SALE*
—OF—
**PIANOS & ORGANS,**
At C. B. PRESCOTT'S Music Store, next door west of the Postoffice, will take place on *Saturday, Nov. 25th*, at 10 o'clock A. M. [nov 1-d&wtd

***Madame Foy's*** Skirt-supporting Corsets; Moody's Abdominal Corsets, and Bortree's Adjustable Duplex Corsets, *very cheap*, at
oct19-dwtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

**V. Barber & Co.**, are still in receipt of the latest fall styles of boots and shoes, and are prepared to supply the public with goods in their line, at rates which cannot be beaten in the State. Persons wanting boots and shoes should examine this stock before purchasing.

**Hamsher wagons** are still at the top of the heap in the matter of popularity and are attracting much attention on the part of farmers, and are increasing in popularity constantly. The lumber and spring wagons turned out by this factory equal in all respects the work turned out from any establishment in the country. Remember the location of the factory. Mason street, Decatur, Ill.

..A great variety of Brackets at the 49-Cent Store. [oc20-dtf

**100 Dozen French Corsets**, at 75c and $1.00, just received—the handsomest, best and cheapest corset ever sold.
Oct 16 dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

**Wanted**—Second-hand Stoves, at
sep13dawtf ASHBY'S, Opera Block.

***On Account*** of the hard times B. Stine, the clothier, has reduced the price of the Best Chinchilla Overcoats, from $20 00 to $16.50. This article must be seen in order to be appreciated
oct 24 dtf

**Oysters** served in any style at J. J. Drake's Restaurant, Opera Block. 9dtf

**Don't Fail** to call at the tea store for your groceries. They give 4 lbs. of the best coffee for $1.00, and $3.00 a hundred for better flour than you pay $3 50 elsewhere. nov7-dtf

**Hagan's Magnolia Balm** preserves and restores the complexion; removes freckles, tan and sallowness; makes the skin soft, white and delicate. Its application cannot be detected.
March 10, 1876—deod w1y

**Fresh Bread, Cakes, Rusks and Buns,** at J. J. Drake's, Opera Block. [9-dtf


## MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY
Macon County Circuit Court.

John Hatfield vs. Robert Timmons and John W. Pursell—On, bill to foreclose mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, in said court at the May term, A. D. 1876, I, John A Brown, Master in Chancery for said court,

*On Tuesday, the 21st day of November, A. D.* 1876,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot number one (1), in block number thirteen (13), in the Railroad Addition to Macon, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 31, A. D. 1876.
Nov 2—w3w

## DRAINAGE NOTICE!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition was filed on the 26th day of September, 1876, with the clerk of the town board of Auditors, of the town of Whitmore, Macon county, State of Illinois, for the construction of a drain, as follows: The starting point of said drain is at a point on the east line of the northwest quarter of section 30, township 17 north, range 3 east of the third principal meridian, near where the north line of C. Hirsch's land intersects said line. The route and terminus of the drain is as follows: Commencing at said point above mentioned, and running southwest through lands of John H. Ham, Thomas M. Ayres and Willis S. Ward; thence south through lands of P. M. Hamer, Alexander's heirs and Richard Mabry; thence southwest through lands of Jacob Wentz and I., B. & W. R'y Co.; thence south and west through land of George S. Woods, Robert Woods and Joshua Green, where the drain terminates. The cost of said proposed drain will not exceed five thousand dollars. It will not be necessary to construct a levee.
JOHN H. HAM.
Oreana, Nov. 9th, 1876—w2w


## WHOOPING COUGH.

DR. DETCHON'S WHOOPING COUGH Specific cures this disease in one week's time. It used generally it will save the lives of hundreds. Do not let your child die of whooping cough when one bottle of this Specific will cure it. It moderates all the severer symptoms within the first twenty-four hours. For sale at THEO. HILDEBRANDT'S Drug Store, Decatur, Illinois.
Oct. 12, 1876—w4m

# THE ONLY ONE PRICE STORE IN DECATUR

# HAYS & BARTHOLOMEW

**Our Enormous Stock of Fall Goods are in—everything Fresh, New, and Cheap. SILKS at OLD PRICES. WOOLENS LESS THAN EVER BEFORE. COTTONS CHEAP.**

**Besides our Large Stock of Domestic Goods, Cassimeres, Flannels, Linens, &c., we have an unusual display of Novelties, Fancy Notions and**

# DRESS GOODS!

**And we wish to call particular attention to our stock of**

# CLOAKS,

**in new styles and at prices to suit all. Also full stock of Shawls, Felt and Balmoral Skirts, Hosiery, Gloves, &c., &c.**

**HAYS & BARTHOLOMEW.**
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 9, 1876—d&wtf

# New Arrival of Dry Goods!

**FOR THE FALL AND WINTER.**

# S. EINSTEIN

Has just returned from the Eastern market with a full and complete ock of

# DRY GOODS, NOTIONS

**Ladies' and Gent's Furnishing Goods, &c:,**

which he offers to the public as LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE CITY. He has also a complete stock of

# CLOTHS & CASSIMERES,

which he will MAKE TO ORDER.
Give him a call before purchasing elsewhere, and examine his prices

**At NO. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.**
Decatur, Sept. 23, 1876—d&wtf


## DIVORCE NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court of Macon county aforesaid, to the December Term, A. D. 1876.

JOHN BOWER vs. JANE BOWER—Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT that the above-named defendant, Jane Bower, on due inquiry, cannot be found, and that upon diligent inquiry her place of residence cannot be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to the above-named defendant that the complainant, John Bower, hath heretofore filed his bill of complaint against her in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons hath issued thereon against her, the said defendant, returnable at the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, on the first day of a term of said court, commencing on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1876, as is by law required, and that said cause is now pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of the Circuit Court.
CREA & EWING, Solicitors for Complainant
Oct. 17, 1876—d4w

## ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court of Macon county aforesaid, to the December Term, A. D. 1876.

John K. Warren and Bradford K. Durfee, partners as Warren & Durfee, vs. Peter Bohrer—Attachment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE said defendant, Peter Bohrer, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, before which court the said cause is now pending, dated the 8th day of October, A. D 1876, at the suit of the said John K. Warren and Bradford K. Durfee, partners as Warren & Durfee, and against the estate of the said Peter Bohrer, for the sum of two hundred dollars, directed to the sheriff of Macon county aforesaid to execute.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Peter Bohrer, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county aforesaid on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1876, give bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you therein, and so much of the estate so attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and cost will be sold.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.
CREA & EWING, for Plaintiffs.
Decatur Oct. 17, 1876—d5w

## Chancery Notice.

In the Circuit Court, to the December Term, A. D. 1875.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

HENRY A. THOMAS vs ELIZA ANN THOMAS.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Eliza Ann Thomas, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Eliza Ann Thomas that the above named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December next, 1876, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
A. G. HARRIS, jr., Solicitor for Plaintiff,
Oct. 24, 1876—d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE—STATE OF ILLINOIS, county of Macon, ss. Circuit Court of Macon county, December Term, A. D. 1876. John N. Gill, Russell D. Gill and Adeline A. Morrison vs. Anna Gill, Lee M. Gill, William H. Gill, Daniel F. Gill, Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles—In Chancery

Affidavit of the non-residence of Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles, defendants above-named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1876, as is by law required.

Now unless you, the said Catherine Whitsel and Jane A. Pyles, shall personally be and appear before said court on the first day of said term and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Complainant's Solicitor.
Oct. 21, 1877—d4w


# OVERMIRE & KAUFMAN,

**REAL ESTATE,**

**Insurance, Loan**
—AND—
**COLLECTING AGENTS.**

**MONEY LOANED,**

*Notes Bought and Sold,*
*Houses Rented*
*and Taxes Paid.*

Special Attention given to Renting Houses

All business entrusted to us will receive careful and prompt attention.

OFFICE:
OVER THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK
March 14, 1876—d&wtf


## Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Calvin J. Sabin, of Champaign county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct. 27—d3w Assignee, &c.

## Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of William Crumpton, of Macon county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct. 27—d3w Assignee, &c.

## ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of George W. Bostman, of Edgar county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct. 27—d3w Assignee, &c.

## Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, } ss
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of David W. Stallings, of Douglas county, Illinois, in said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Oct. 27—d3w Assignee, &c.


# BLOCK'S CITY MARKET!

*OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,*

SUPPLIES a long-felt want in this city, and furnishes as good a variety as can be found in the best city markets.

*MEAT AND FISH*

of all kinds. All vegetables and fruits in season. Cream, Milk, Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Game, Oysters, etc., etc., constantly on hand and for sale at bottom prices.

Highest price paid in cash for butter, eggs, chickens, fruit and vegetables.

Don't forget to call before buying or selling. Highest cash price paid for country produce.

☞ Goods delivered to any part of the city. [July 14 d&wly

**$5 to $20** per day at home. Samples worth $5.00, free. STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine.
March 9, 1876—d&wly

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All vegetables and fruits in
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# The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

*Thursday Evening, Nov. 9.*


## CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Go to Imboden's for fresh oysters

.. Fine weather

.. Election news cheering

..Politics the absorbing topic of the day.

.. Hayes and Tilden have both been elected in Decatur. Intense excitement over the result.

..Trade is dull, and will be until the result of the election is fully determined.

..Go to Niedermyer's for choice peach-blow potatoes.

..Newell & Hammer have the genuine "Fast Mail" fine cut

..Bendure & Co. keep a full supply of choice butter and fresh eggs.

..Call on Billy Niedermyer for the best syrups and sugars.

..The Tea Store is in full blast again. They still sell 10 lbs. of sugar for $1.00. nov7-dtf

..H Post is receiving new goods daily in the line of watches, clocks and jewelry, all of which he is selling 25 per cent. below list prices.

..Don't fail to go and see the splendid stock of boots and shoes that J. P. Marsh is selling at cost, with a view to changing business. This is a rare chance to stock up with boots and shoes for winter.

..All kinds of fresh candies manufactured daily at J. J. Drake's, Opera Block. oc9 dtf

..The Centennial year has been remarkable thus far for many things.—We have had a Centennial's World's Fair, a Centennial series of races, Centennial heat and Centennial prices. Besides all these, B. T. Babbitt's Best Soap has been taken into hundreds of thousands of homes, and brought comfort and satisfaction to all who have tried it. No family should be without it

..You can buy at the tea store the best syrups for 75c a gallon, and 20c a gallon for pure cider vinegar. 7-dtf

..Frequent despatches during the forenoon kept the people excited on the political situation Knots of men gathered on the corners and about the streets, exchanging congratulations, and members of both parties claim to be confident of a favorable result for their respective sides.

..Warm meals and lunch served at all hours at J. J. Drake's Opera Block Restaurant. oc9 dtf

..There was great excitement in the city this morning over the announcement by telegram that at half past 12 o'clock last night Governor Hayes was addressing his friends in Columbus, who had met to congratulate him on his election. The city of Columbus was a sea of excitement. Torchlight processions were marching in all directions through the city.

..In the midst of the intense excitement which has prevailed throughout the day, the most entire good nature prevailed. No other theme or subject received any attention outside of the political situation. Every report bearing upon that subject was listened to with the most earnest attention, and then went from lip to lip until it was thoroughly circulated through the city. Nobody seemed to give any attention to business further than necessity required.

**Dancing**.—Profs. Goodman & Fero give another of those fashionable soirees at their Dancing Academy on Friday evening, Nov. 10, 1876 No invitations required—a general invitation is extended. Admission, 50 cents. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock. 9 d2

**Rescue Hose Co., Attention!**—The regular meeting of this company will be held this (Thursday) evening. Let every member be present.

By order of the Foreman.

**D. M. Barnett** is prepared to feed the people on the fat of the land. Choice groceries and provisions of all kinds are sold at this house at bottom figures. Let all the people come and be fed.

**At the Court House Last Night.**—Another crowd gathered at the court house last night to receive dispatches. The first hour was monopolized by the boys in having fun on their own hook.—Dispatches were received and read, and cheered until the boys had halloed themselves hoarse; various speakers were called to the chair, who delivered themselves of speeches amid the calls for "louder! louder!": Finally, about half-past nine, a genuine dispatch was received which gave Hayes one majority of electoral votes, giving the New York *Tribune* and *Times* as authority. A second dispatch was of about the same import. The leading democrats looked downcast and retired from the hall, evidently not in a hopeful mood.

**500 Pairs Old Dominion Buck** Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents—the best and cheapest in America. And as parties from *Decatur and Moroc* are selling inferior gloves, which they falsely represent as the "Old Dominion Buck Gloves," we caution the public against the fraud, as we control the entire production, and *none* are genuine that are not stamped with the name of "Geo. H. Ott" on the inside. Oct 17 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

**For Sale.**—A good frame dwelling with seven rooms, eight closets and pantries, cellar, well, cistern and other improvements. Lot 100 by 150 feet, well filled with bearing fruit trees and vines. Apply at this office. oc28-dtf

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

### Regular Meeting.

DECATUR, ILL., Nov. 6, 1876

Present—Mayor Chambers, Ald. Ehrman, Myers, Muzzy and Peake

No quorum, Council adjourned until to morrow night, Nov 7th, 1876

*Attest:* GEO P HARDY, Register.

## *COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.*

### Adjourned Meeting.

DECATUR, ILL., Nov. 7, 1876.

Present—Mayor Chambers, Aldermen Durfee, Ehrman, Harwood, Myers, Muzzy, Peake and Wayne. Absent—Ald. Harpstrite and Stephens.

Minutes of meetings held Oct. 2d, 17th and 19th, were read and approved

A petition was received from citizens asking for permission to organize a hose company in the 2d ward, which was referred to committee on fire and water.

The Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Railroad Co. petition the Council for right of way on Cerro Gordo street from its eastern terminus to the western boundary of Monroe street. On motion the petition was referred to committe on public improvement.

M. K. Hatch, city treasurer, made a report of receipts and expenditures for the month of October, 1876; also amount expended on library account. Reports received and placed on file.

Geo. Dempsey, city supervisor, made a report of lumber received, expended and on hand, also for labor performed during the month of October, 1876.—Report received and warrants ordered issued in payment for labor performed.

S. Burgess, Sup't. of the water works, made a report of water rents collected, expense of running water works and amount expended on extension of water works Report received and warrants ordered issued in payment for labor performed.

Thos. B. Albert and Edw. Hughes, J. P., each made a report of police cases tried during the month of October, 1876. Report received and placed on file.

I A. Buckingham, city attorney, also made a report of police cases, which was placed on file

The gas committee reported back the claim of the Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co. for the month of Sept., 1876, as correct, and a warrant was ordered issued for the amount of $234.60.

The finance committee reported back the following claims as correct and warrants were ordered issued. Elwood & Co., lumber, $83.44; B. B. Tuttle, lumber, $544 83, Hubbard & Swearingen, stationery, $10.15; Close & Griswold, $93 61.

The committee on sidewalks and crossings recommend that walks and repairs be made as follows, which was adopted A gravel walk 152 feet long, five feet wide, and three feet from the fence on the south side of Eldorado st, between Franklin and Jackson street, and a crossing from James Haworth's to Mrs. Harrison's a brick walk 40 feet long and 10 feet wide from L. Farner's north on Franklin street; a gravel walk three feet wide on the south of Bradford street from Broadway west to the last house on the block, a gravel walk three feet wide on the north side of Bradford street from Broadway west 320 feet, a gravel walk on the south side of West North street from the residence of Mr. Patterson to Mercer street, the same to be four feet wide; a gravel walk three feet wide on the east side of Cemetery street from the north side of Mr. Fields' residence south to the walk in front of the church; to make the walk on the south side of Wood street from Crea st west one plank wider, to repair walk in front of the Agricultural Works, between the T, W. & W. R'y and Sangamon street. The same committee reported adverse to laying down brick walk 10 feet wide on Front street, in front of John McEvoy's property.

The following claim was referred to finance committee Close & Griswold, $69 27

Claim of the Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co. for the month of October, 1876, was referred to committee on gas and gaslights.

The following claims were read and approved and warrants ordered issued:

D. T. Sherman, special police, $6; same, salary for Oct., 1876, $50; J. G. Hofacker, jail account for 1876, $43.20; Doane & Wellington, use K. Harwood, $14.35; Ferris & Emmons, gas account, $32 67; J. S. Hewes, do, $75.60; H. E. Foster, lumber, $59.04; Elwood & Co, do, $36 74; Wm. Richards, streets and alleys, $30; E Shultz, do, $6.75; D. C. Moffitt, do, $50.50; George S. Durfee & Bro., do, $2; Wassall, Fire Clay Co., do, $70.80; C. A. Tuttle, do, $9; F. May, do, $8, D. L. Allen, use M. K. Katch, Treas., 10 acres land, $1016.66; Wm M. Barrett, same, stone crossings, $190.50; T., W. & W. R. R., same, freight, $54.88; M. K. Hatch, Treas., interest on bonds, $1002 50; Western Coal & Mining Co., water works, $277.10; Dennis Long, extra water works, $12 63; H. Mueller & Co., water works, $77.18; Jacob Ehrhart, fire and water, $10; Abel & Locke, do, $3.60; H. Mueller & Co., work on fountain, $92 60; J. B. Earhart, fire and water, $15.36; I. D. Turner, do, $5; Wayne Brdhers, do, $72; Linn & Scruggs, do, $3.35; John W. Rogers, do, $14.55; H. Mueller & Co, do, $28.56; same, $65.17.

Claim of S. Burgess was referred to committee on finance.

City Engineer reported estimate for work done by C. A. Tuttle on North Water street to the amount of $1,725.19. On motion warrants were ordered issued for the amount, payable to J. Milliken & Co.

City Engineer reported estimate of work done on North Water street to the amount of $390 25 On motion warrant ordered issued for the amount

Ald. Harwood offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the committee on fire and water be instructed to confer with the officials of the P. L. & D R. R. and see if some arrangements cannot be made to furnish them with water.

Ald. Peake offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the salaries of the city officers be allowed and warrants drawn for the same.

Ald. Ehrman offered the following resolution, which was referred to the committee on sidewalks and crossings with power to act:

*Resolved*, That the supervisor be instructed to put down a six foot gravel walk from the west side of Pine street west to the east side of the gate at Jas. Millikin's, on the north side of West Main; also to put in street crossing on West Main on north side across Pine st

I. W. EHRMAN

Bonds of N. A. White, John Bleckley and Phillip Riebsamen, for license to sell intoxicating liquors for a term ending Jan. 1st, Feb. 1st and 9th, repectively, were approved and licenses ordered issued.

The ordinance committee reported an ordinance amendatory of an ordinance, entitled "An ordinance granting the right of way to the Decatur Horse Railway & Carrying Company," which was read, and on motion final action was postponed until next Friday night.

His Honor, the Mayor, appointed William Wilkinson as policeman. Appointment confirmed.

Question of purchasing Babcock Fire Extinguisher was referred to the committee on fire and water.

On motion the Council adjourned until next Friday night, 7½ o'clock.

*Attest:* GEO. P. HARDY, Register.

## *PUBLIC LIBRARY.*

### Librarian's Report for October.

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| Number of books loaned, | 2,238 |
| Average number per day, | 90 |
| Number of visitors registered, | 3,491 |
| Average number per day, | 140 |
| No. of registered borrowers to Nov. 1, | 1,755 |
| Fines, etc, $5.48. | |

R. L. EVANS, Librarian.

**Boy Hurt.**—To-day about noon, a son of Mr. P. T. Locke, a boy about ten years of age, in crossing Merchant street was knocked down by a passing wagon, and one wheel of the vehicle passed over the child's foot bruising it badly, but it is thought that no bones were broken.

**I will Sell** the balance of French Pattern Hats and Bonnets at **Importation Prices**, at

THEO. A. GEHRMANN.

Nov. 9 d3w

**A Fine Job Lot** of Trimmed Hats, Choice $1 25, at

Nov. 9 d3w THEO A. GEHRMANN'S.

Don't forget those crystal spectacles sold by Curtis & Righter only They are the best in use. [daw1]

**COAL $2.50 PER TON**

—AT—

WESTERN COAL YARD.

nov 1 dtf

**Look** in at Abel & Locke's and see their beautiful new carpet goods.

**Better Coal** than Howlett coal, at $2.50 per ton, delivered to any part of the city, at the Junction Coal Co.

BIXBY & PATTERSON, Agents,

nov4-dtf At Kinney's warehouse.

**Lost—$25 Reward.**—A gold watch. The number is registered and known. A reward of $25 will be paid for its return to Abbott's jewelry store.

Nov. 7 4d

**Logan & Co.**, at Hervey City, pay the highest prices for grain. Also furnish lumber in any quantity on short notice, and at very low prices.

Aug 10 d3m

**No Use** of going to Chicago or New York to have your clothes made. J. R Race & Co. are prepared to make a suit in the highest style of the art.

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*Underwear*, for men, women and children, *cheaper than the cheapest*, at the 49-Cent Store. oc20-dtf

**Mrs. C. J. Dawkins**, having recovered from a brief illness, is now prepared to receive all orders for dress and cloak-making; also prompt attention to fitting children's wear, patterns, etc. No. 10 Merchant street, over Gehrmann's dry goods establishment, right side of the hall. oct17-tf

**The Tea Store** keeps the best flour in Decatur, and charge only $2.25 a hundred. Best sugar-cured hams and bacon only 15c a lb. nov7-dtf

*40 Acres of Good Pasture for Rent.*—About two miles northwest of Decatur, with running water. This pasture has had no stock on it this season, and is in excellent condition. For particulars apply at this office. [June7d&wtf

**16 Yards Good Calico for $1.00**, 12 yards fine bleached cotton for $1.00; 12 yards good Canton flannel for $1.00.—All-wool Flannels, Blankets and Repellants, at extremely low prices, at

Oct 16 dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

**S. Einstein** is selling 20 yards good brown muslin for $1.00. [30-d1w

**Day Board.**—First-class day board, at Drake's Restaurant, opera block.

Oct. 16 dtf

***Madame Demorest's*** Fall and Winter Patterns—the only reliable patterns—at LINN & SCRUGG'S.

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## OFFICIAL VOTE OF MACON COUNTY, NOVEMBER 7, 1876.

| DISTRICTS. | For President | | | For Governor | For Lieut. Gov. | | | For Secy of State | | | For Auditor | | | For State Treas | | | For Attorney Gen. | | | For Congress. | | | For Member State Board Equalization. | | | For Representatives. | | | | For State's Attorney | For Circuit Clerk. | | For Sheriff. | | | For Coroner. | | |
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| | Hayes, R. | Tilden, D. | Cooper, Ind. | Colfax, R. | Shuman, R. | Glenn, D. | Pickrell, Ind. | Hartzell, R. | Throckmorton, D. | Hoctor, Ind. | Needles, R. | Hite, D. Ind. | | Hoits, R. | Gundelfinger, D. | To Aspern, Ind. | Zeigler, R. | Lynch, D. | Coy, Ind. | Cannon, R. | Dieck, D. | Mohler, R. | Harnsberger, D.L. | | Abel, R. | Chambers, R. | Jack, D. Ind. | Campbell, D. Ind. | | Brown, R. | Buckingham, D. | McClellan, R. | Williams, D. Ind. | Rountree, R. | Lemen, D. Ind. | Chenoweth, R. | Auger, D. Ind. | |
| Decatur—1st Precinct | 321 | 151 | 4 | 4 | 35 | 64 | 4 | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 310 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
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| Long Creek, | 74 | 119 | | | 4 | 119 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Macon, | 253 | 91 | | | 12 | 182 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Mt. Zion, | 117 | 214 | | | 3 | 114 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Niantic, | 298 | 101 | | | 13 | 182 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Oakley, | 89 | 115 | | | 2 | 86 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Pleasant View, | 119 | 148 | | | 4 | 119 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Wheatland | 111 | 142 | | | 11 | 112 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Whitmore, | 136 | 157 | | | 14 | 136 | | 48 | 186 | 16 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 48 | 186 | 12 | 53 | 176 | 5 | 57 | 300 | 4 | 312 | 317 | 5 | 595 | 595 | 5 | 565 | 5 | 283 | 455 | 270 | 455 | 270 | 394 | 138 | 256 | 270 |
| Total | 3120 | 2785 | 8 | 8 | 236 | 3119 | 8 | 1519 | 3128 | 2191 | 660 | 3118 | 660 | 3107 | 1717 | 1224 | 3115 | 2294 | 5 | 3112 | 3055 | 57 | 3120 | 3044 | 4.72 | 4595 | 4625 | 30 | 4592 | 30 | 2837 | 5565 | 2762 | 5195 | 2871 | 8064 | 2367 | 1497 | 3864 |
| Majorities, | | 335 | | | 228 | 3000 | | 1478 | 1000 | 172 | | 2458 | | 1390 | 500 | | 821 | 118 | | 55 | 245 | | 76 | 727 | | 371 | 371 | | 371 | | 283 | 640 | | 324 | | 526 | 1039 | | 526 |


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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Benjamin Mahannah, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of December, A. D. 1876, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 12th, A. D. 1876.

JAMES DURNING, Adm'r.

Oct. 19, 1876—w6w

**Administrators' Notice**

ESTATE OF LYDIA HARNER, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of LYDIA HARNER, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of November, A. D. 1876, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., October 2, A. D. 1876.

WILLIAM B. HARNER,
SILVEN M. HARNER,
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**Administrators' Notice.**

*Estate of Hillsary Beall, deceased.*

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Hillsary Beall, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of December, A. D. 1876, being the first day of said term.

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Nov. 8—w6w

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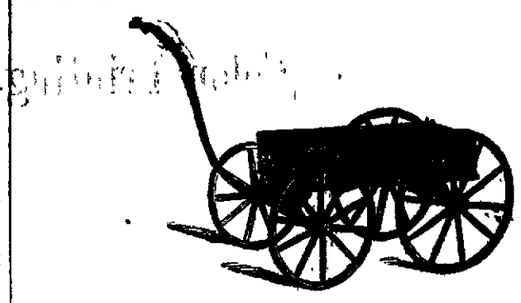

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MACON COUNTY.

Macon County Circuit Court.

Dewitt C. Shockley vs Charles Drohn, Thomas W. Berry, William Brewer, Philo H. Robinson, Rachael E. Cook, Francis M. Good and Rachael Eneks—on bill to enforce Mechanic's Lien.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, in said Court at the May term, A. D. 1876, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

*Wednesday, the eighth day of November, A. D. 1876,*

at the hour of two o'clock, P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing at a point twenty-five (25) feet north of the southeast corner of the west half of lot number one (1), in block number three (3), in the original town of Decatur, thence north eighteen (18) feet, thence west seventy-six (76) feet, thence south eighteen (18) feet, thence east seventy-six (76) feet, otherwise known as lot number nineteen (19), in the reservoir of block number three (3), original town of Decatur, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 31, A. D. 1876—d6w


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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. Robert Mackenzie, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. James Leaton, pastor Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

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## *BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.*

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DECATUR COUNCIL No. 2, O. U. A. M., meets at their hall over Hildebrandt's drug store, every Thursday evening.

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MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night, on or preceding full moon every month. W. H. Gipson, W. M.; J. S. Carter, Secretary.

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BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; J. S. Hand, Recorder. Regular meeting third Thursday each month.

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MACON COUNTY,

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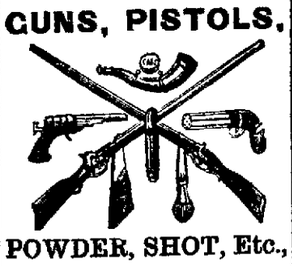

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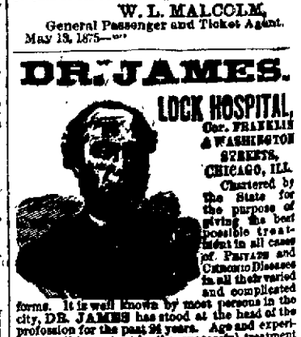

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